BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

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| Prices of food grains—Rice ... ... | ... | ... |
| Ragi ... ... | ... | ... |

BANGALORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are in good condition. Sugar-cane is being harvested and re-sown in some parts of the district. Manure is being stored on the fields in some parts.

10. Prospects of the season generally good. Want of rain is very much felt.

11. Public health generally good. Fever prevails in Hoskote and Dodballapur Taluks.

12. Cattle generally healthy. Water and fodder available with some difficulty except in Nelamangala, Kankanhalli and Channapatna Taluks where scarcity is beginning to be felt.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Sugar-cane is being sown in Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Goribidnur and Gudibanda; paddy and sugar-cane in Chintamani, Mulbagal, Goribidnur and Gudibanda; paddy in Bagepalli; sugar-cane in Sidlaghatta are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season fair. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing wet crops are reported to be in good condition. Sugar-cane in Tumkur, Maddagiri, Gubbi, Turuvekere and Kunigal and paddy in Maddagiri, Koratagere, Sira and Pavagada are being harvested. Paddy is being sown at Pavagada. Water is failing in tanks and wells at Pavagada. Rain is wanted throughout the district.

10. Prospects of the season good.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available except in parts of Pavagada and Kunigal Taluks.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz*:—Paddy, sugar-cane, horse gram, black and green grams, til, cholum, cotton and mulberry are reported to be in good condition. Ragi, til, cholum and same are being sown in parts of the district.

10. Prospects of the season good.

11. Public health good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *i. e.*, kar-paddy and sugar-cane in Hassan; sugar-cane in Belur; sugar-cane and paddy in Arsikere and Channarayapatna and black and green grams in Hole-Narsipur are in good condition. Kar-paddy is being harvested and gid ragi sown in Hassan.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks available. More rain is required throughout the district.

11. Public health generally good. Fever and cold prevail in parts of Arsikere, Channarayapatna and Hole-Narsipur Taluks.

12. Cattle healthy except in Arkalgud where they are subject to "Chappe roga." Fodder and water available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Paddy is being sown in parts of Sagar and Sorab Taluks. Kar-paddy in the Nagar and Sagar Taluks and sugar-cane in the Shimoga, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks are in good condition. The soil is being prepared for sowing in all the taluks.

10. Prospects of the season good.

11. Public health good.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder and water available.

KADUR.

8. Market fairly supplied.

9. Standing crops *viz.*, sugar-cane in Kadur and Chikmagalur Taluks are in good condition. Paddy and Ragi in the Chikmagalur Taluk, sugar-cane in the Koppa and Tarikere Taluks have begun to be sown.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder and water available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *i. e.*, paddy and sugar-cane are reported to be in good condition. Paddy, in the Chitaldrug Taluk; white jola Bengal-gram and paddy in the Challakere Taluk; paddy in the Molakalmuru Taluk and paddy and cotton in the Jagalur Taluk, were harvested during the week.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder and water are reported to be available.

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